

WPQ 82073 (2024): What was the average time it took to process visa applications, if any, during the week of 2nd December 2024; broken down by visa type?

Table: The median processing timeframe for visas during the week of 2 December 2024 to 8 December 2024, broken down by visa type.

Visa Type	Median Number of Weekdays*
Consular	1
Diplomatic	1
Interim visa	1
Limited	6
Military	1
Official	2
Permanent Resident	5
Resident	124
Student	10
Transit	6
Visitor	9
Work (all work visas including AEWV)	19
Work (excluding AEWV)	14
Breakdown of AEWV	
Work - AEWV (all AEWV)	51
Work – AEWV (excluding MCS)	16
Work -AEWV (only MCS**)	89

**Time is in weekdays (weekends not included) taken to process an application from when it was submitted until completion.*

***Maximum Continuous Stay Applications or re-used token applications record longer processing times as they may be submitted far in advance of the expiry of the existing visa and were previously held in a managed queue until nearer to the expiry of the existing visa.*